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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT application of )  
Shunpei YAMAZAKI et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2812  
Serial No. 09/255,777 ) Examiner: R. Booth  
Filed: April 22, 1999 )  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND )  
METHOD FOR FORMING THE SAME ) Date: September 13, 2000

**SUPPLEMENT TO AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patent  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Further in response to the Office Action of March 7, 2000 and supplemental to the *Amendment* of June 7, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please delete the Continuing Data Statement and insert the following before the first sentence of the specification:

--This application is a Divisional of Application Serial No. 08/757,616, filed November 29, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 5,946,561, which is itself a Continuation of Application Serial No. 08/085,931, filed July 6, 1993, now abandoned.--